

NIH Office of Intramural Research (OIR)

Investigator Attestation I

Nontransplantation Research Use of De-Identified Human Fetal Tissue

I, _____, attest that I will be conducting experiments with de-identified human fetal tissue and that I am aware of and will comply with the relevant legal and policy requirements regarding the conduct of research with human fetal tissue.

I affirm that (*all boxes must be checked for approval*):

- Informed consent for the use of this tissue for research was obtained as per [NOT-OD-16-033](#)
- This human fetal tissue was not acquired or obtained for valuable considerations, as per [42 U.S.C. 289g-2](#)

Describe the characteristics, procurement, and procedures for the research use of the human fetal tissue (*For example, "12-16 week fetal livers will be acquired through an MTA with {SOURCE} to establish primary cultures of fetal hepatocytes."*):

Justify the use of human fetal tissue by indicating why research goals can't be accomplished using an alternative to human fetal tissue.

Signatures

NIH Investigator Signature:

IC:

Date:

Scientific Director Signature:

IC:

Date:

OHSRP Signature:

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Date:

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